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18 November 1966

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Dear Cy,

On 17 November the USIB approved the urgent requirement for
information on [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] It is essential that this requirement be met within the next
twelve months. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] This study has convinced me that the best hope lies in a con-
centrated [REDACTED] program. This concentration involves qualitative
improvement as well as an expanded launch program, probably to as
many as [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] This will have obvious impact on the FY 1968

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25X1A To facilitate action I am arranging for [REDACTED] and
[REDACTED] to be briefed on our studies before the 23 November
ExCom meeting.

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